

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, April 25—
Cotton futures opened steady
May 24.15; July 24.45; Oc-
tober 24.22; December 24.36
January 24.16.

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WEATHER

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WASHINGTON, April 25—
Alabama: Generally fair to-
night and Sunday. Little
change in temperature.

EIGHT STILLS CAPTURED WITHIN ONE WEEK

CURTAIN RAISED ON SHOALS EXPOSITION AT 2 O'CLOCK TODAY

Grounds Scene of Great Activity During Early Hours

EXHIBITS STILL ARE RECEIVED

Paige Expects Show to Be Crowded By Monday

The Muscle Shoals Exposition grounds early Saturday were scenes of hurried industry as scores of workers were engaged in getting the big show ready for the "curtain raiser" Saturday afternoon.

Merchants, manufacturers and others were getting their exhibits in place, while Boy Scouts and other workers hurried from tent to tent, securing tie lines, placing sawdust and doing the hundred and one other odd jobs necessary to have the exhibition spaces entirely in order for the event.

Manager Paige Saturday announced that poultry fanciers, who will provide exhibits for the big poultry show will not have their exhibits in place before Monday. One entire tent will be devoted to the poultry show.

Automobile dealers were placing cars during the morning and hoped to have the automobile section of the show ready for inspection by night. In the automobile show tent, a stage will be erected for the fashion show, which will be a feature of the exposition next week.

Mr. Paige announced Saturday morning that exhibits were arriving every hour. Two long distance telephone messages came from Birmingham last night, he stated, from manufacturers desiring space. By Monday, he expected that all available space would be gone.

The Lawrence county exhibit including, the exhibit from the forestry preserve in that county, is one of the largest of the show. It will attract wide interest before the exposition closes on May 9.

Mr. Paige stated that the Giles County exhibit from Pulaski, was en route here this morning and would be placed during the day.

He stated also that picture programs, showing the industrial resources of the state and valley, together with a film depicting the progress of the development of Muscle Shoals, will be shown in the second tent.

Boy Scouts have pitched their tent on the ground and details will be on duty at the exposition grounds every hour of the day and night, the Scouts doing night patrol duty as part of the supervision program to protect the valuable exhibits.

Sham Battle On For Obau Island

(Associated Press)

HONOLULU, April 25.—The "battle" for the possession of the island of Obau, goal of the joint army-navy maneuvers, started at 8:15 this morning.

Contact was established when a contingent of the "blues" attacking forces rushed a fortress held by the "black" troops, defending the island.

MOBILE OUTFIELDER WOUNDED BY SHOT AT HOTEL ROOM DOOR

(Associated Press)

ATLANTA, April 25.—George Young, charged with shooting Matt Donohue, star outfielder of the Mobile Southern Association club, in a hotel last night, today surrendered and was released on bond.

Police said Young admitted shooting Donohue and charges of disorderly conduct and shooting at another were lodged against him.

Donohue told police he and Pat Hargrave, Mobile utility player, were in the same room when someone knocked at the door. When Donohue

Loses Battle



PETER MOLYN

Peter Moly, known in Chicago as the "Midnight Burglar," was wounded and captured after he had stood off 200 policemen, three of whom he wounded with bullets. The shooting attracted a crowd of 10,000. Many burglars are charged to Moly, who was captured after the most modern weapons of the Chicago Police Department were brought into play.

FOUND GUILTY OF SLAYING OFFICERS

Former Circus Rider Is Convicted on Charge of Double Murder

(Associated Press)

BLUNTSVILLE, Tenn., April 25.—Kinnie Wagner was found guilty of first degree murder by a jury in Sullivan county circuit court here this morning, in connection with the death of Deputy Sheriff Herbert Webb and Policeman John Smith, at Kingsport, on April 13.

The two officers, members of a party of five, who sought to arrest Wagner on a charge of murdering a deputy sheriff in Mississippi on last Christmas eve, were shot to death when they encountered the former circus rider, near a river bank.

Another officer was wounded seriously but is expected to recover. Wagner received the verdict with the same calmness that has marked his demeanor throughout his trial.

Judge Chase allowed counsel until Wednesday morning to prepare their arguments on a motion by the defense that the verdict be set aside as contrary to law and evidence.

The jury was given the case at 5:20 yesterday afternoon after it had been deliberating three hours, without reaching a verdict, it was locked up for the night. It reported at the opening of court today.

Musical Revue To Be At Princess

Hubert Lyons "Bobbed Hair Revue" is playing at the Princess theater all next week with Drane Walters in the principal black face role. Walters is remembered pleasantly by local theater fans as that "Skinny Boy in Black" who played at the local playhouse during the past summer.

Manager Ratliff announced today that an exceptional picture program has been secured in connection with the main attraction of the week.

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opened the door, he said, a man whom he recognized as Young, shot at him twice, the second bullet hitting him in the thigh. Young then ran, Donohue said.

Both Hargrave and Donohue expressed the opinion the bullets were intended for Hargrave. The latter said he had quarreled with Young.

An x-ray of Donohue's wound was made today.

Norman Eberfeld, Mobile manager, expressed the opinion the player would be out of the game for several weeks.

CHATTANOOGA WILL ENTERTAIN RIVER ASSOCIATION MEET

Work Already Finished On Tennessee to be Discussed

INTEREST HIGH IN CONFERENCE HERE

Purposes of Meeting Pointed Out by the Officials

Chattanooga will be the scene of a general meeting of the Tennessee River Improvement Association on Sunday, April 30. The Patton hotel has been selected for the gathering of the hosts interested in the development of the great waterway through the southland. The meeting will be the first held since the call in 1922. It is expected that a general discussion will occur on the work that has been done by the association since the meeting in 1922.

The following excerpts from a letter from the head of the association explains the main purpose and outline of the meeting:

"To members and friends of the Tennessee River Improvement Association:

If you are in favor of the development of a more adequate and dependable supply of hydroelectric power in the Tennessee river and its tributaries for agricultural and industrial service, or if you are interested in the completion of the navigation improvement of the Tennessee river for waterway transportation to the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, or if you are interested in controlling the floods of the Tennessee River and saving farm lands and city property, like Chattanooga for example, from overflow, you will find it worth your while to attend a general meeting of the Tennessee River Improvement Association hereby called to convene.

Officials of the Association will describe what has been accomplished since the Association's last meeting in 1922 and will explain how certain big things in store for the Tennessee Valley can be secured.

Men of national prominence and distinguished in the navigation improvement, power development and flood control of the Tennessee River will address the convention, notably Major General Lansing H. Beach, former Chief of Engineers, United States Army.

This general meeting is not specially called for "passing the hat" but for the purpose of giving the business interests of the Tennessee Valley the opportunity to seriously consider and decide by what ways and means the following can be most speedily secured:

1. A navigation-power dam at Cove Creek on the Clinch River to double the primary power (that is, the all-year-round dependable power) at every dam site below it on the Clinch and Tennessee Rivers, especially at Muscle Shoals and at Hales Bar, and to reduce the flood damages at Chattanooga.

2. The earliest possible construction of Dam No. 3 at Muscle Shoals so as to complete that improvement for both navigation and power, since without its completion no city on the Tennessee River or any of its tributaries north or east of Muscle Shoals, Albany-Decatur, Chattanooga or Knoxville, for example, can claim that they have waterway transportation on a par with cities on the Ohio River.

3. The operation of Nitrate Plant No. 2 for the production of fertilizers.
4. A feasible and fair basis for co-operation between the Tennessee River Improvement Association and the power companies at Muscle Shoals and on the Upper Tennessee and its tributaries.

A great deal of interest in the meeting is being shown locally. It is the general belief of the people of this section that the association will be one of the greatest factors in the development of the river and the benefits that will be gained throughout the great territory effected by the river development.

BUILDING TAXED TO CAPACITY BY CROWD TO MEET KIWANIS

Third Program of the Year Presented at Somerville

CAIN WELCOMES TWIN CITY PEOPLE

"Good Fellowship" For All Is Stressed at the Gathering

With the school building taxed to full seating capacity and many more people on the outside at the doors and windows, citizens of the Somerville district were hosts to the Morgan Kiwanis club Friday night when the Farm Relations committee of the local club presented their third programme of the year. The programme consisted of several short addresses, readings, musical selections and choruses.

A representative membership of the Morgan Kiwanis club, accompanied by the Albany-Decatur concert band, left the chamber of commerce building Friday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock to be the guests of the town of Somerville in a programme promoting friendly relationship in the county.

The programme was opened at the school building in Somerville near 7:15 o'clock with a musical selection by the band.

J. F. Cain, president of the Morgan county farm bureau, delivered a cordial address of welcome to the Albany-Decatur visitors. Mr. Cain urged the full co-operation of the people of the section, believing that the future good of all sections and towns could be realized only through the most intensive co-operative effort.

Reverend James D. Hunter delivered the response and after assuring the Somerville people that the Kiwanians were more than pleased to be guests in that section, launched into a talk on "Good Fellowship." The speaker was convincing in every angle of his talk, his hearers, maintaining an impressive silence as he told of the beauties and the good of a sincere friendship to individuals and communities alike.

Miss Hazel Burleson pleased in a splendid reading.

J. W. Clifton was heard in a splendid appeal on "Community Building." Miss Enid Mitchell gave a reading, "Your Own Little Town," that was well received.

The Kiwanians, lead by J. R. Daniell and J. W. Clifton sang several rousing Kiwanis songs.

The enjoyable occasion was closed with the singing of one verse of "America."

Dr. Hunter dismissed the gathering.

Kiwanis heads today declared that each meeting of the Farm Relations Committee seems more successful than the last. The entire county is responding to the effort of the Kiwanians in the upbuilding of community friendships and in the endeavor to solve community problems.

Farmer Attacked By a Bee 'Swarm'; One Mule Killed

W. A. Sanders, prominent farmer on the Moulton pike, one mile from Kitchen's Mill, narrowly escaped possible death, one of his mules is dead and another is recovering, after having been in a serious condition, as a result of an attack by a swarm of bees.

While driving the team of mules one of the animals straddled a tree which had been housing a colony of bees. The insects swarmed about the animal, stinging it, and its companion in harness. Mr. Sanders rushed to the rescue of the mules and in cutting them away, himself received severe injuries. One of the mules died within 12 hours, the other finally recovering. Mr. Sanders suffered intense pain and was made critically ill, but is recovering.

SITUATION CALMER IN BALKAN STATES; DANGER YET EXISTS

Counsel of Moderation Appears to be Bearing Fruit Saturday

RUMANIA LENDS AID TO BULGARIA

Communists Blamed For Outbreak In the Capital

(Associated Press)

The situation in Bulgaria as reflected by dispatches from Sofia and outside points, apparently is calmer, a fact which is attributed in some foreign quarters to counsels of moderation by the American and British ministers.

Bulgaria's neighbors, however, are in a state of anxiety, lest her troubles, which the Sofia authorities ascribe to a communist plot, spread to their own territories.

Roumania appears to have become fully alive to the dangers threatening the Balkans, Sofia advises, and is lending Bulgaria every assistance, while Greece maintains a neutral attitude.

Jugo-Slavia's position is not so clear and a Berlin dispatch says German government circles emphasize the danger of possible Jugo-Slavic intervention in Bulgaria, which they point out might easily lead to another Balkan war.

The Bulgarian government professes to be in complete possession of the details of the plot for the burning of the Sveti Kral cathedral in Sofia last week, the disaster, which coming on top of the attempt against King Boris and the assassination of General Georgieff, brought the declaration of martial law and the present situation.

The authorities say the plot was carried out by Bulgarians, paid lavishly for their work by communists who remained in the background, awaiting the outcome. This is supported by advices reaching the German foreign office, which declare the coup had long been planned and that its object was to seize power in Sofia and establish a strong operating base for the spread of communism in the Balkans.

Dispatches through Berlin and Belgrade tell of executions of persons charged with connection in the plot. Numbers of Bulgarians are reported to be feeling over the Serbian and Roumanian frontiers and Italian correspondents telegraph that the streets of Sofia still present a civil war aspect and that possibility of a recurrence of violence is indicated.

Arrests in the search for terrorists continue.

Birmingham Man To Speak Sunday

Judge Hugo Black, of Birmingham, will be the principal speaker at the memorial services to be conducted Sunday by Hermon Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

The services will open in Castle Hall, on Bank street, and following the conclusion of the program there, the Knights will go to city cemetery to decorate the graves of departed members.

BANKS TO CLOSE

Local banks will be closed Monday in observance of Confederate Memorial Day.

SPECIAL FASHION SHOW PUT ON FOR WORKING

LONDON, April 25.—Special displays of business suits by mannequins for shop girls and women generally employed in offices have been put on in London at convenient hours for those persons who have not the time nor opportunity to do their buying early in the day. The shows begin usually about 5 o'clock. There is music, tea is served and a deach model is clearly marked with its price—what it costs for cash, as well as the price if purchased on installments.

His Dash Vain



CAPT. ROBERTS

Pushing his vessel through boiling seas at 20 knots, his fireroom crew working like mad, Capt. Roberts, of the big British liner *Homeric*, sped to the rescue of the ill-fated Japanese steamer *Raifuku Maru*, reaching her just as she foundered in a gale south of Halifax, N. S., but being unable to launch his life boats to save any of the Japanese crew who, in quaint English, had wirelessed "Now very danger. Come quick."

WHEELER'S FRIENDS REJOICE AT VERDICT

Government Officials Silent on Acquittal of the Senator

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Department of Justice officials had nothing to say today about the collapse of their case in Montana against Senator Wheeler.

The alacrity with which the jury threw out the department charges and exonerated the senator, manifestly caused disappointment and chagrin and, in view of the circumstances, no official would predict whether the separate proceedings brought against Mr. Wheeler in the District of Columbia would be pressed.

Senator Wheeler's friends predicted the case here never would be brought to trial.

Senator LaFollette, with whom the senator was a candidate on the independent presidential ticket last summer, sent this telegram of congratulations:

"Great rejoicing here and throughout the country. Your friends are extremely happy that a jury, chosen from the good people of Montana, have acquitted you and vindicated justice."

"But every decent, self respecting American citizen must bow his head with shame in the face of the established fact that the leaders of a political party and highest responsible public officials have prostituted a great department of government to subvert justice, shield the guilty and convict an honest man of crime."

Justice department officials have maintained the conspiracy indictment recently returned here was wholly independent of the proceedings at Great Falls, but the friends of Senator Wheeler have taken the opposite view.

FATAL SHOOTING NEARLY CAUSE OF STAMPEDE IN CIRCUS TENT

(Associated Press)

GUIN, Ala., April 25.—W. O. Ray, a farmer, is dead from effects of bullet wounds and Deputy Sheriff W. R. Snow, is in jail with two bullets in his leg, as the result of a shooting affray here last night.

Stampee of a big crowd attending a circus was narrowly averted, when shots from the combatants pistol began to pierce the side walls of the circus tent, endangering the lives of several score persons.

Reports as to how the shooting started vary widely.

DRY ENFORCEMENT 'DRIVE' NETS MANY MOONSHINE OUTFITS

Raiding Parties Swoop Upon the "Sources of Supply"

CAMPAIGN NOT YET NEAR END

Officers Determined to Break Up "Nests," It Is Reported

The eighth still taken by raiding parties in Morgan and Lawrence County operating out of here, was reported here Saturday.

Four stills were taken on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the east end of Morgan County by Deputies W. R. Turner, H. M. Wiley and C. S. Jennings. In one raid, it was said two stills, each of large capacity, were found on the same farm.

A raiding party composed of V. S. Root, G. H. Jennings, Policeman Thompson and I. G. Brown, Friday went into Lawrence County and captured a pair of outfits. One was of 80 gallon capacity, made of copper. Seven barrels of beer were taken; another was of 120 gallons capacity and four barrels were taken. The evening before Messrs. Root, Jennings and Brown had caught one still.

Friday night Deputy Sheriff Ben Poole and Policeman McCall seized a still up the river a short distance east of the Somerville road. The still was of 90 gallon capacity. The activity of officers in this section during the week was declared to have "put a crimp" in the retail sales of prohibited liquors.

The drive is not yet over, officials were quoted as saying. Determination was expressed to rid the Valley of all "sources of supply."

SHERIFF IS KILLED IN A LIQUOR RAID

Negro Slayer Reported Shot to Death by Second Officer

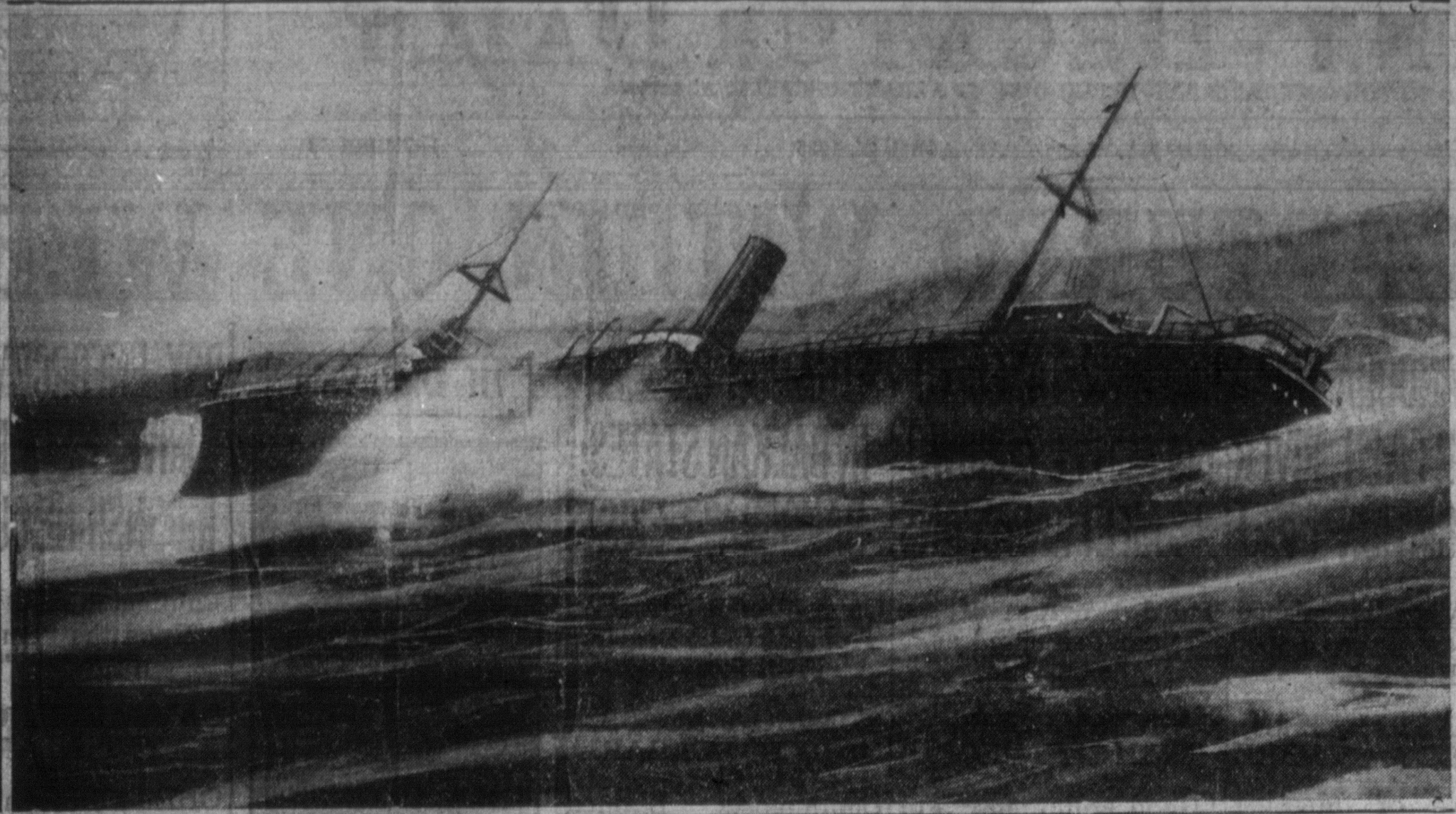
(Associated Press)

LEESVILLE, S. C., April 25.—Sheriff H. H. Howard, of Aiken county, today was shot and instantly killed by a negro, Annie Lowman, who was killed by another officer, near Monetta, in Aiken county.

The shooting took place when Sheriff Howard and other officers went to Lowman's home, in search for whiskey. The other negroes were wounded. Lowman was killed by Deputy Sheriff Robertson. Citizens of the community are aroused over the incident and more than 100 armed men are said to have gone to the scene.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 25.—Sheriff Howard, of Aiken county, and a deputy sheriff was wounded when officers went to a negro house near Monetta today, in search for whiskey, a report received at the office of Governor McLeod. Several negroes also were shot, the report stated.

First Photograph of Doomed Raifuku Maru Just as She Sank.



Sinking with all hands, as shown in this photograph, taken by a passenger on the Homeric, the Japanese freighter Raifuku Maru was within 100 feet of the big British liner. As the picture was taken, the doomed vessel capsized. There was some division of opinion among Homeric's passengers as to whether Japanese crew might have been saved. Capt. Roberts, of Homeric, declared he could not launch boats before men were drowned.

NOTICE OF SALE LAND AND LOTS FOR DELINQUENT CITY TAXES

Notice is hereby given, that I, Henry Hartung, as City Clerk of the City of Albany, Alabama, and as the officer designated by the City Council of said City to collect said City Taxes, levied upon all property for municipal and school purposes, will on the 4th day of May, 1925, and within the legal hours of sale, offer for sale and sell to the highest, best and last bidder for cash, in front of the Mayor's office in the City of Albany, Alabama, the following described property hereinafter described, for delinquent City Taxes, due the City of Albany, Alabama, for City Taxes, 1924:

DELINQUENT CITY TAXES, 1924

Adderhold, A. C.—Lot 11, Block 6, Add. 2, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany, Ala. Taxes \$1.70, printer's fee \$1.14.

Binford, Charlie, (Col.)—Lot 10, Block 31, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany, Ala. Tax \$2.75, printer's fee \$1.14.

Browne, Mrs. J. F.—A. 9 Johnstons Lots 37-39-41, Block 13 Add. 3, and Lots 47-49-51-53, Block 12 Add. 3, and Lots 17-19 Block 11 Add. 3. And Lot on Market St., in Garners Add. D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany, Ala. Taxes \$47.00, printer's fee \$2.43.

Bernstein, A.—Lots 19, 21, 23, 25,

Block 48 Add. 3, and Lots 1, 3, Block 14 Add. 3. Tax \$309.17, printer's fee \$1.26.

Black, L. M.—Lot 5, Block 74, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany, Ala. Tax \$1.10, printer's fee \$1.14.

Blackwell, D. L.—Lots 16, 17, Block 2, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$14.26, printer's fee \$1.14.

Brown, Jobe—Lot 21, Block 11, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$5.85, printer's fee \$1.10.

Farrior, S. J.—T. E. Pride, Agt.—Lot 29, Block 17, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$6.15, printer's fee \$1.28.

Grady, G. M.—Lots 15-17, Block 36, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$8.93, printer's fee \$1.26.

Guy, Mrs. May Alma.—Lots S. side of Lafayette St., and Switch Track, and 10, Block 10, Johnstons, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$19.25, printer's fee \$1.49.

Gay, Eugene.—Lot 27, Block 5, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$3.25, printer's fee \$1.14.

Gayle, L. D.—Lot 15, Block 26, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$9.10, printer's fee \$1.14.

Hammond, C. L.—Lot 23, Block 121, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$8.25, printer's fee \$1.14.

Harris, A. E.—Lots 27-29, Block 25, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$6.65, printer's fee \$1.14.

Held, Adolph.—Lot 20, Block 25, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$8.30, printer's fee \$1.14.

Holland, Mr. J. W.—Lots 19-21, Block, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$11.60, printer's fee \$1.14.

Humes, Milton, (Col.)—Lot W. 50 ft. of 2 and 4, Block 37, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$6.80, printer's fee \$1.35.

Horton, Yancey.—Lot on Cherry St., Bet. Alley & Skillington, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$2.55, printer's fee \$1.14.

Johnson, J. R.—Lot 17 and N. 5 ft. of 19 Block 35, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$10.10, printer's fee \$1.35.

Jones, Ezra, (Col.)—Lots 18-20, Block 30, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$3.48, printer's fee \$1.14.

Jones, Breck, (T. E. Pride, Agt.)—Lots 27, 29, 35, 37, Block 7, Add. 3, and 20 Block 42, 3, and 15, Block 16, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$36.60, printer's fee \$1.94.

Kirk, Sarah, (Col.)—Lot on Church St., 50x116, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$5.15, printer's fee \$1.26.

Lee, Mrs. Tassie.—Lot 10, Block 38, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$14.60, printer's fee \$1.14.

McDaniel, Elona.—Lot 11, Block 31, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$3.00, printer's fee \$1.00.

McDuff, Gordon.—Lot 13, Block 1, Littlejohns, Lot 3, Block 28, Add. 2, Lot 2, Block 9, Johnstons, and Lot 18, Block 63, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$7.15, printer's fee \$1.73.

McLure, J. J.—(T. E. Pride, Agt.)—Lots 44-45, Block 29, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$12.30, printer's fee \$1.38.

Patterson, L. W.—Lot 17, Block 26, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$14.60, printer's fee \$1.14.

Sears, Mrs. J. M.—Lot 1, Block 3, Johnstons Add., D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$10.60, printer's fee \$1.14.

Sewell, J. Q.—Lot 3, Block 9, Johnstons Add., D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$10.50, printer's fee \$1.14.

Simms, L. D.—Lots 2, 4-6, Block 11, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$17.25, printer's fee \$1.26.

Sneed, R. E.—Lot S. 60 ft. of 1, and W. 1-2 of 2, Block 23, Add. 2, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$9.60, printer's fee \$1.35.

Spragins, Wash.—Lots 24-25, Block 1, Add. "C" D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany Tax 55c, printer's fee 96c.

Stevens, Jno. T.—Lots 1, 3-5, Block 11, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$7.10, printer's fee \$1.14.

Stockman, Henry.—Lots 1-5, Block 47, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$16.25, printer's fee \$1.14.

Stewart, W. R.—Lot 17, Block 30, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$2.40, printer's fee \$1.14.

Thombs, Mrs. Jessie A.—Lot 13, Block 63, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$4.30, printer's fee \$1.17.

Thompson, W. A.—Lot 3, Block 122, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$12.50, printer's fee \$1.17.

Troy, Mrs. S. B.—Lots 2-4, Block 104, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany Tax \$10.80, printer's fee \$1.26.

White, Henry, (Col.)—Lots 9-10, 3, 4, 5, 6, 22-23, Block 1, Add. "C" D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$6.00, printer's fee \$1.26.

Wilkerson, J. M.—Lot 15, Block 44, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$1.75, printer's fee \$1.14.

Winton, Mrs. Andrew.—Lot 4, Block 21, Add. 3, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$15.00, printer's fee \$1.00.

Walston, Lula, (Col.)—Lot part 3, 41 1-2x132 ft. in Garners Add., D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$2.20, printer's fee \$1.35.

Young, Hars.—Lot 22, Block 14, Add. 4, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$1.36, printer's fee \$1.14.

Owner Unknown.—Lot 12, Block 44, Add. 2, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$7.50, printer's fee \$1.10.

Owner Unknown.—Lots 44, 45-46, E. End Terrace, D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany Tax \$1.20, printer's fee \$1.26.

OFFICE CAT

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If you must crawl under the table to find a seat it is called a break-fast room.

Shortening of skirts hurts textile industry.—News Item. And we might say has the same effect on the eyes.

And they were married and living cattily ever afterwards.

If you will work for others as you would like others to work for you you'll never be out of a job.

"Tail spin restores hearing," isn't so wonderful. Falling from a plane would make a blind man see stars.

When you have the law on your side you get hit on the other side.

One thing, people who live in celluloid houses should take care of striking matches.

A man who gets boiling mad also knows how to roast.

There is a bright side to everything, even including last year's suit of clothes.

Blames Dragon

Mrs. Madge Oberholtzer

D. C. Stephenson, of Indianapolis, former Grand Dragon of the Ku Klux Klan in Indiana, is under indictment on a charge of having kidnapped and criminally assaulted Miss Madge Oberholtzer, who later swallowed poison on the train where the attack is said to have taken place. She alleged she was also held a prisoner in his garage. Stephenson charged that he was "framed."

Owner Unknown.—Lot 5, Garners Add., 40x90 ft., D. L. I. & F. Co., Add. to Decatur, in Albany. Tax \$3.25, printer's fee \$1.26.

April 18-25, May 2.

THE BLUE CIRCLE

By ELIZABETH JORDAN

turned. Verily, still at the piano, glanced up at the sound of his entrance, and he met her eyes. They darkened as if with annoyance, and her smooth brow puckered under the same emotion. The expression passed as quickly as it came, but he interpreted it aright. She disliked him as much as he disliked her. She disliked him so much, indeed, that his casual return to a room she was in almost angered her. Well, he would not annoy her long. Without a second glance at her, he crossed the room to Campbell's side.

"Any instructions, sir?" Campbell revealed the fact that he had not been as drowsy as he had seemed.

"Madame Hvoslef told you just now that she wanted you to go into town tomorrow, didn't she?"

"Yes, sir."

"You won't mind?"

"No, sir; of course not. Why should I?"

"I'd hate it like the devil," Campbell cheerfully admitted. "A visit to town knocks me out for a month. The infernal noise alone is a nightmare. But of course that's nothing to a young chap like you."

He had forgotten or was deliberately ignoring the young chap's admitted lack of nerve fitness, and in either case Renshaw was grateful.

He included Miss Campbell in his farewell as he was leaving the room, but she seemed to have forgotten his presence. She was trying a new song in an undertone and did not raise her eyes from the notes. But the music of her wonderful voice followed him into the hall, and he still seemed to hear it as he went upstairs.

He entered his room with a warning sense of comfort. The lights were lit, a fire blazed in the big fireplace, the sheets of his bed had been folded back. It was not yet eleven o'clock. He would read for half an hour, and then, he hoped, have a good night's sleep.

Soon he began to feel drowsy, and he turned off the reading lamp, but he could still see distinctly in the fire-lit room.

The house was very quiet. His subconscious mind dallied with memories of the day—bits of Campbell's confidence, We-wee's baby hands, the watchfulness of James the footman, the husky, throaty voice of Madame Hvoslef.

It was at this instant that he again observed the blue circle. It had appeared suddenly as on the night before, but in a different spot on the same wall. For a few moments he watched it, his eyes narrowing with an interest he had not felt the night before. Tomorrow he must look around and find the source of that reflection. In the meantime, he would once more compose himself for slumber.

He may have slept half an hour before he heard the first sound in the outer hall. It was an unmistakable sound—the sound of a very heavy body falling. He sat up with a jerk and a muttered oath that held more impatience than alarm. It perfectly expressed his feelings. He had, indeed, been so reassured by Campbell's words that morning that it was difficult to feel any emotion but annoyance at this untimely interruption to sleep. He lay down again and resolutely closed his eyes.

But the noise in the hall would not be ignored. The thing that was making it had begun to move, to crawl along, to pant heavily. Renshaw pursed his lips and raised his eyebrows. In the gloom of his room he could plainly see the transom above his door, but no reflected gleam came through it. The lights in the hall had been turned out. Even if he rose and opened the door, he could not clearly see what was in the hall. And it was none of his business, anyway. His mind clung to that fact. It was none of his business! Anything that happened in the hall—He didn't need to get up. He didn't want to get up. In fact, the notion of getting up was rather horrible. Therefore, of course, he must get up. Convalescence, he was beginning to discover, meant doing immediately anything and all things one particularly did not desire to do.

He rose quietly, and without switching on a light went noiselessly to the door opening into the hall and grasped the knob. His intention was to open that door with a quick jerk and thus surprise the thing that was moving outside. But, though he unconsciously braced himself as he seized the knob, the door did not yield. He exerted all his strength. The door held fast. He drew back and stared at it. It had not yielded, for the best and simplest of reasons. It was locked—and locked from the outside!

He had opened his windows before he went to bed. The cold night air blowing in upon his pajama-clad figure reminded him that the reflections which seemed his sole recourse could be indulged in more comfortably in bed than out of it. He went back to bed. There seemed nothing else to do. His room, he had already observed, did not include the convenience of a bell—a rather striking omission, by the way. He listened.

The thing itself was coming nearer, was very near his door, was now at the door itself. There, for a moment, it lay motionless, though he continued to hear the panting breaths. It suggested a sick animal, a very large and very sick animal. All right. If it wanted to pant at his door, let it pant.

But in his heart Renshaw objected to the thing. He objected to that locked door, and to an odd sense of helplessness that stole over him. He tried to think, and evolved only the wild idea that possibly old Campbell was testing his nerve—an idea killed

as soon as it was born. Old Campbell was not that sort.

The noise outside the door began again, but now its character had changed. The knob turned, softly but persistently. Apparently the thing outside wanted to get in. Other sounds followed—scratching sounds. For a moment he listened in puzzled confusion, unable to interpret them. Then, under his breath, he swore again. The thing outside was climbing. He felt it bump against his door, and the bump was heavy and without caution. The thing seemed to have no objection whatever to being heard. In some way it was drawing itself up to the transom. There were padded sounds against the glass. There seemed to be a definite effort to open the transom.

He was sitting up again, with unswerving eyes upon that transom. And now, at last, he saw something. It

It was a hand and arm very large and dark.

It was a hand and arm, very large and dark. The hand clutched avidly but futilely at the top of the transom, in an apparent effort to release the catch. But the catch was on Renshaw's side. The transom did not open. For another instant the clutched hand moved and even seemed to beckon. Then it disappeared, and simultaneously there was again the sound of a heavy fall, this time just outside the door. That was followed by the crawling sound, growing fainter by degrees, and then by silence.

Renshaw moistened his lips. The situation was simply incredible, but his mind worked on it with gratifying briskness.

Seemingly the thing, whatever it was, fell out of some room into the hall. Yet no animal or human being heavy enough to make that noise in dropping could possibly crawl through a transom. Nevertheless, the thing had apparently made an effort to crawl through his transom. Also, it had made an effort to open his door. That seemed sufficient proof that the thing itself had not locked his door. Some one else had done so. Who? Presumably the door had been locked to guard him. Why, and from what? And if he had to be guarded from some animal or madman, why the devil hadn't Campbell told him so?

Renshaw found no answer to these questions, though they occupied his mind to a degree that forbade sleep. For a long time he brooded upon them, while renewed silence settled over the house. Then he rose and went to the door. Instantly the knob yielded to his hand. The door swung back. Beyond it was the reassuring sweep of the long, black, empty hall; and around him folded the peaceful silence of a soundly sleeping household.

Chapter V

Renshaw Awoke a Question.

Renshaw dressed, the next morning, wearing a certain line of determination about his jaws and nursing a valiant resolve to keep steady. He had slept well, when he was left to sleep, but he did not enjoy his night's experience in retrospect any more than he had enjoyed it at the time. He loathed being locked in his room. And he decided that the latter experience at least should not happen to him again.

He was going to town that morning. He would equip himself, while there with a little set of tools that would open any locked door with reasonable promptness. Also, he would get a flashlight, a revolver, and a few other trifles that seemed to fit neatly into his new environment.

The alertness of his mind in working out these plans vaguely gratified him, until he began to think about it. Then the old sense of lethargy crept into his consciousness, combined with the self-pity whose twin was self-contempt. He did not want to think about all these complications. He wanted peace and a clean-cut job. But, since the undesired elements were forcing themselves into the situation, he forced his will to the task of meeting them. He considered the notion of reporting the night episodes to Campbell, and promptly decided against it. He had already had his ruling on that point.

Suddenly he remembered the blue circle, and began somewhat vaguely to look about his room. That circle mystery, at least, should be easy to clear up. But before he had inspected more than a few objects on his high-boy, all of which seemed incapable of sinister reflection, a deferential tap on the door was followed by the en-

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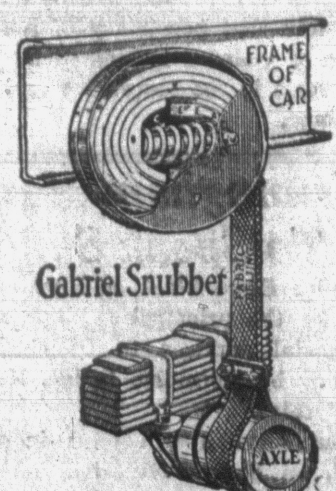
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12 Years Ago TODAY

From The Daily of
April 25, 1913

Claud McMillan today was nominated for postmaster of New Decatur.

G. L. Bowles has resigned as cashier of the Commercial Savings Bank and Trust company, and Thomas A. Bowles has been elected to succeed him.

A. E. Walker, state superintendent of banks, was in the Twin Cities today.

Mrs. J. W. Clifton left this morning for Talladega to attend the Christian Endeavor meeting.

Mrs. K. B. Dosch has gone to Shansberg, Va., for a month's visit before returning to her home in Baltimore, after having spent several months the guest of her son, B. C. Dosch.

A DAILY PRAYER—Deliver us, we pray Thee despairing because of the questions that perplex our minds, and help us to turn to Thy face knowing Thou wilt save us.

This time last April the cities were joining in a "Pride in Appearance" week. This year it is exposition week, judging from the high winds of April.

You may have your choice of a fishing pole, a linen duster, an umbrella, or an overcoat in this kind of April weather.

The laundries over the country are said to favor the international "Cleanup Week," but that has nothing to do with the back yards nor the spring interior freshening.

Well, if Burton K. Wheeler ever runs on any ticket it will certainly have to be an Independent ticket. Other parties undoubtedly have heard a plenty of the doings of Mr. Wheeler and will pass him up as a poor bet to win any sort of an election.

TEXAS GOVERNOR DISPELS IDEA THAT SENTIMENT WOULD RULE REASON OF WOMEN EXECUTIVES

When the franchise was granted to women, there were those who felt that women would subordinate their reasoning facilities to their sentiment. As the female voters became acclimated in politics, they desired office, and several of them have been elected to important places in government.

Mrs. Ferguson was chosen by Texans for their executive and recently she has done much to dispel the fears that women executives would be lacking in the sterner qualities of character.

Sidney Welk, of Dallas, was the first person scheduled to pay with his life for a crime, during her administration. After all other efforts to avert the sentence had failed, he appealed directly to the woman governor.

A few hours before the time for his execution, he sent the following message to Mrs. Ferguson: "My time is growing near. Please do not let me die."

Here was a situation which might well have tested any person, man or woman. Mrs. Ferguson's answer was that the law must take its course.

"I am going to be governed by a man's reason rather than a woman's sentiment," she explained.

Comparatively few extensions of clemency have been made during the early part of her administration, the following tabulation by the Associated Press shows:

The record shows that up to early in April, Mrs. Ferguson granted 64 full pardons and 95 conditional pardons. Executive clemency was exercised in other ways as follows: Commutations, two; reprieves, one; paroles, 16; furloughs, 61; restoration of citizenship, 30; revocations of paroles and furloughs, three; remission of bond forfeiture, seven; remission of fine and jail sentence, seven; suspension of service of the Court of Criminal Appeals, two.

SPORT PAGE FURNISHES SPLENDID EXAMPLES OF REAL COURAGE

The sport page of a daily newspaper, ordinarily, isn't the place one would expect to discover editorial topics, yet we find R. E. McGill, writing "The Sport Aerial" in the Nashville Banner, publishing an article in his column which will help every boy and man who reads it.

The story discusses some examples of courage the writer has encountered on various athletic fields. Bob Murray, who plays baseball for a living, and now is engaged by Kansas City, recently played three days with a broken wrist. The team was crippled badly at the time, and Murray in an effort to give his employers something more than they had any reason to expect from him, concealed his injury three days from the club physician. Murray kept his own injury to himself and went to another physician for treatment.

Of course the player suffered agony every time he

threw a baseball, yet he never complained and it was only by chance that it was discovered by his manager that he was so seriously hurt.

So much is heard these days about the price of work, so many of us appear to be afflicted with a spirit of "what's in it for me?" that instances like the Murray case comes as a refreshing and inspiring incident in the daily whirl.

Once Grantland Rice, writing of a game in which Christy Mathewson had pitched and a game which had been lost by his teammates, spoke of Mathewson's "raw, red courage."

It surely was this kind of courage which caused Murray to stay in the line up in spite of his crippled arm. Certainly it must have been courage of this kind which caused Hek Wakefield, playing end on the Vanderbilt football team last November, to continue in the game for a full ten minutes after he had received a broken leg. This is the courage which has made American youths carry on, in spite of handicaps, in peace and in war. It is not the wealth of America which makes this nation great, it is her courage.

The Banner writer quotes a line from Robert W. Service's poem regarding the story of the high school boy who tossed his books aside to go to war and was called a fool for his eager patriotism: "England need have no fear so long as she has fools like that."

TRANSPORTATION SITUATION IS UNDERGOING MARKED CHANGES NOW

The transportation situation is undergoing so many marked changes, observers express varying opinions on what the future will bring, but they are almost unanimous in the belief that railroads will be forced to act to meet the competition of motorized conveyances.

Passenger receipts are less than they were four years ago, statistics show. Travel is more general, but motors, private and public, are cutting deeper and deeper into the revenue derived from passenger travel.

Trolley cars were the first to feel the effects of the growing use of motor cars. The competition of private machines reduced the revenue of trolley companies to such an extent that many of the corporations in the smaller cities, as was the case in the Twin Cities, were forced out of business. In some of the larger communities, motorized equipment was used by the trolley companies and not without some degree of success.

Evidence of the extension of the automobile into the transportation realms formerly occupied exclusively by the railroads has been given here recently, with the establishment of a second bus line to the Tri-Cities and a freight bus line to Nashville.

Discussing the situation, The Miami Herald says: "Railway receipts from hauling passengers were less in 1924 than in 1920, the drop being 24 per cent or nearly one-fourth. This can not be attributed to decreased travel because common observation is that travel has increased even faster than the population. It cannot be credited to decreased fares for in some instances, notably in suburban traffic, the fares have been increased."

The automobile will have to shoulder the blame. Not only the private cars which are used by the thousands for long trips but the public busses which are giving a profit to their owners and running regularly over definite routes have cut into the receipts of the railroads.

When busses were first introduced it was thought that they would hit the electric lines hard. They did and the trolley lines retaliated by going into the bus business and profiting by what seemed a danger. It now seems that the railroads will have to adopt busses if they are to keep up their revenues. They have already resorted to motor trucks to handle freight for short hauls. Adding passenger lines that will act as feeders will be a logical move.

Bus lines have proved successful in Florida for journeys requiring two or three days. With better roads the possibilities of such passenger traffic increases and the railroads are not likely to let such chances for profit go by."

A TRAIN OF THOUGHTS for the Sabbath and Other Days

BY J. E. BLAIR

An official who should know said misguided "bleachers" lost to Birmingham, the initial base ball game of this season. He said the guilty parties, kept throwing pop bottles into the right field until it was not safe for the players to run after fly balls. At the third game the same officer arrested a boy, for the same offense he had complained of. Birmingham won the third game. It is not necessarily true, that "bad fans" lost the initial game to their home city—but for the sake of having a start on a "sermon," let us accept the opinion of the officer. Christianity will lose, just so long as so few live the Christ-life. As long as "pop-bottles"—to say nothing of whiskey bottles—are being used in the wrong way—as long as there are so many "bad," they keep the "good" up-in-the air as to what to do, the Kingdom of God will never come. Bishop Phillips Brooks is quoted as having said: "Give me five hundred men, nay, give me one hundred men of the spirit I know in THREE MEN, and I will answer for it that the city shall be saved." The churches are some times criticized for seeking numbers—they are absolutely right in it. (If church people don't live within bounds, it is their fault, not the fault of those who asked them into the church.)

Christianity means a great battle against "powers and principalities, etc." It must have a large army to win. In war-fare, Forrest, the Southern cavalry leader was right when he said strategy was "getting there first with the mostest men." In spiritual war-fare the same rule holds. "They went everywhere preaching the word." Three thousand were converted in one day by one sermon, during the days of the apostles. Does anybody think Christianity was a failure when men like St. Paul, discredited all heathen worship in a generation?

In our age, more people must have the Christ-spirit, if the great game of life is won for the entire race. Except for a comparatively few individuals, the Christian life is proving a failure. Too many are throwing "pop-bottles," instead of "playing the game" and giving of their lives and means, in a holy effort to put Christianity to the test! Not in our day, but some time Christ will get the right co-operation. Some day, the question will not be asked—"Is Christianity a failure?"—but in the meantime, anybody, regardless of creed or profession who is "throwing mud, bottles and the like, delays Christ's triumph. One reason General Lee knew so much about the value of "duty" was because he was a soldier, and had seen the absolute necessity of all fighting in unity and co-operation and in drawing every weapon possible against the enemy. People talk about Christians being united and as "one." The only way such a thing will be possible, will be for all to atone with God, and in the midst of a big fight to establish righteousness.

Say Kidnaping Mystery Is Solved

MR. & MRS. PETER MCKENZIE & RICHARD
(Insert) LILLIAN MCKENZIE

In August, 1923, Mrs. Peter McKenzie, shown here with her husband and son, Richard, left her three-month-old baby, Lillian, in a baby carriage before a New York department store while she shopped. The baby was stolen, and a nation-wide search failed to find any trace of it. Now the baby is reported to have been found in the possession of Mrs. F. V. Grofe, of Hackensack, N. J., who had adopted a baby said to have been furnished her by an unlicensed doctor. The police are investigating the unusual story.

Eleven Indicted On Prohi Charges

(Associated Press)
BALTIMORE, Md., April 25.—Indictments were returned by the United States grand jury here today against 11 men who are charged with conspiracy to violate the federal prohibition law.

Among them are Winnifred Jones and N. T. Jones, sons of the Rev. Charles Jones, superintendent of the Georgia branch of the Anti-Saloon League.

BIRTH

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Divine Service, 10:30 a.m.

The text is, Romans 5-15.

The topic: "The Fall and Rise of Man."

7:30 p.m.—Holy Communion.

STIRRING SERMON AT FIRST BAPTIST

"How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation?" was Evangelist Leckemby's text at the Decatur Baptist church Friday night. "This meeting is to help you win in life" he said. "That's what I am here for. To lose is just to neglect. Men are not lost because they are drunkards, murderers, or adulterers but just because of neglect."

"God knew it would take a mighty antidote to overcome sin. The blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanseth me from all sin." Sin must be something dreadful if he endured the cross to save us from it. The cross was the wedge that was driven between light and darkness. It will mean your salvation or your condemnation. I read the record of sin in the court records, the jails and the penitentiaries. Any home no matter how humble may become a foretaste of heaven. Sin would like to wreck every home and leave little children scattered over the world without a home. It has left its slimy trail across the pages of history and followed the trail of tears across the face of many mothers. It moves behind plate glass and walks on rich carpets. If it came into the Garden of Eden it can come into your home."

"You may be saved however, if you want to be. Where sin did abound, Grace did more abound." Why do we have to plead with men to be saved. Protection of wife and children comes next to my faith in the living God. It is every man's duty to provide insurance against the wolves that gather around the door after the bread winner is gone. If it is good business to protect the body how much more the eternal spirit.

"God's salvation is great because it is FREE. I offer you an eternal life policy paid for, signed and sealed and delivered by the richest blood that ever stained the sands of time. Why

not accept it? It will make you better mentally, physically and in every way. When a boy I had a companion who was not too big to go to Sunday school. Some of them are languishing behind prison bars and the bones of some the bleaching on the sands of time but this boy who accepted Jesus Christ is contributing to the welfare of the world.

"This salvation is great because of what it cost. We love to sing America. We paid a great price for liberty. This salvation cost God the most priceless pearl in His domain. He suffered more than any mother ever did."

"There is only one way. That is God's way of repentance and faith. Take God's way. All the good you may do from now on cannot atone for the sin or any sin you committed in the past. Men build a ladder of self-morality but Christ says 'Depart from me I never knew you.' He that climbeth up any other way is a thief and a robber.' (I am the door of the sheep. It is either Christ or darkness.)

"One imperial word will gain you entrance at the gates. It is Jesus, Blessed Jesus."

"It is great because God justifies you. He blots out all your sins. A noble Son comes to his mother and says 'I am sorry for the trouble I gave you and for my disobedience.' She says 'Mother has forgotten all that.' Come to Jesus and he blots out all the sin of your life. He remembers it against you no more."

"Millions of people have no consolation when the death dew wets the brow. There are great tragedies because of neglect. I stood at Johnstown, Penn., and counted 800 graves of the unknown dead. The people were warned of the coming waters. Some did not heed the warning. They neglected the opportunity. Tonight you have the opportunity. God places many obstacles in your way to hell. Will you trample on the Bible, your mother, our child, the cross of the Son of God?" Dr. Leckemby will preach tonight. Sunday he will speak at 9:30 a. m., 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

The Church is the greatest institution in the world. It was built by Jesus Christ. He laid its foundation deep upon the rock of ages. He cemented its pillars with the blood of the cross. Over that edifice He waved His wounded hand and cried: "It is finished."

"Come ye disconsolate
Where e'er ye languish;
Come to the mercy's seat,
Fervently kneel.""Here bring your wounded hearts,
Here tell your anguish.
Earth has no sorrow
But Heaven can heal."

—J. CLARENCE LECKEMBY.

9:30 a.m.—"The man who struck out but won the game."

11:00 a.m.—"The Hero of the Ages."

7:30 p.m.—"The Greatest Question Ever Asked or Answered."

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Decoration day will be held on the second Sunday in May at the old Bishop cemetery. Everyone is invited to attend the services, bring their song books and baskets of lunch.

Reverend J. J. Bishop of Albany, route 2 asked that everyone attend and enjoy a day in the service of the Lord.



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Somerville News

T. N. and M. K. Brindley were in Albany Thursday to see Mrs. L. W. Mitchell who is ill.

Edwin Dodson of the U. S. N. who has been in school in Virginia is home now on a six weeks vacation before resuming his studies in the office training school.

Mrs. P. A. Goyer and son John were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Goyer in Albany Wednesday.

Mrs. James Francis entertained with a birthday party on Wednesday for her son, James. Out door games were enjoyed after which lovely refreshments were served. He received a number of nice gifts.

Mrs. Henry Self and daughter Eunice left Thursday for Birmingham where Miss Lena Self underwent an operation at an infirmary there on Friday.

Dr. C. F. Peek left Thursday for Birmingham on business.

Mrs. Luna Burleson entertained with a birthday party for her daughter, Hazel, the occasion being her twelfth birthday. Out door games were enjoyed for a while then the guests were ushered into the dining room which was decorated with snow balls. The cake in the center of the table held 12 candles which gave the only light for the room. Dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mary Lou, Esther and Eunice Francis, Elizabeth and Evelyn McCaulle Moselle and Dorothy Holoway Nella and Bertha Waugh, Enid Mitchell, Evelyn Miller, Vivian Winton, Corine Elam, Kathryn Isley and Margaret Ransom. Many nice and useful presents were received by the honoree.

Mrs. Jim Love who died at her home near Hartselle was buried Friday at Friendship cemetery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Granville Sively a son.

There will be a Sacred Harp singing here on Sunday afternoon. Everybody come and bring your books.

SOCIETY

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 362.

MONDAY

Bible Study Class of the First Presbyterian church 3 p. m. in the Ladies parlor.

All day mission study class of the First Methodist church 11 a. m. Mrs. O. B. Cartwright.

TUESDAY

Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club. Mrs. R. H. Wolcott and Mrs. A. E. Humphrey.

Tuesday Club. Mrs. William Voorhies.

Tuesday Whist Club. Miss Marjory V. Beard.

WEDNESDAY

Married Ladies Bridge Club. Mrs. B. Crawford.

Berean Club. Mrs. Frank Davis.

THURSDAY

Thursday Club. Mrs. B. M. Bloodworth.

Thursday Bridge Club. Mrs. B. A. Turner.

Thursday Eight. Miss Katherine McCormac.

Silk Stocking Club. Mrs. Garner Pride.

FRIDAY

Canal Street Rook Club. Mrs. J. P. Brock.

SOCIAL MEETING OF THE VIRGINIA GRAHAM S. S. CLASS, HOSTESS MRS. GRAHAM

The Sunday school class of the Central M. E. church of which Mrs. Virginia Graham is the beloved teacher, held its social meeting of the month with Mrs. Graham, Friday afternoon at three o'clock. The guests were welcomed by the hostess and class members and ushered into the living room that had an added attraction of white peonies in huge bowls on tables and mantel, the dining room was decorated in white also using ascension lilies. When the class had assembled the president, Mrs. L. B. Smith called for order. The program was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Carrie Bowles, the first feature was an album contest, the pictures of the class taken during the childhood period, the committee had numbered each picture. With the majority, times had made no appreciable difference, after the contest the hostess was invited to take a seat where her every expression might be received by all.

The entertainment committee of which Mrs. B. E. Preult is chairman remembered April 24th was the birth anniversary of their teacher, arranged a very interesting revue of times past, present and future.

The past was represented by Mrs. Roy Nash, who had slipped out and been dressed as Virginia McBride, the six month old baby, who was rolled in in her baby buggy by her nurse, Mrs. W. H. Winton who in a running talk related the history of her charge, and lamented the fact that "a poor nurse girl had no chance to catch a beau."

By the time baby was fretful and had to be taken home for refreshments.

Mrs. B. A. Turner in a neat gray house dress and small round hat came in as the Mrs. Graham of the present, who with a fly swatter recalled in a most amusing pantomime times of service when the teacher had stood and served 'til her feet were, "plum worn out." The future Mrs. Graham at 90 years was represented by Mrs. R. Brannum, by this time the Madam had grown quite large perhaps reaching a weight of about 200 lbs, the class with Mrs. Graham was convulsed with laughter.

A salad with iced tea was served, members of the class assisting in serving, as a token of the appreciation of the class for the unfailing interest and work of their teacher. Mrs. B. E. Preult in the words of Longfellow presented Mrs. Graham a pretty gift from the class. Mrs. Graham responding in a few well chosen words. The hours of entertainment were most refreshing, through this class, the social service department of the Central Methodist church is conducted. The class exhibits, an equal amount of enthusiasm in serious effort as at play.

MRS. HARRIS ENTERTAINS

A delightful time was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. A. F. Harris on Friday when she entertained in honor of a few out-of-town guests, including Mrs. R. G. Harris and daughter, Elizabeth Ann, of Bessemer; Mrs. D. A. Reese, of Louisville, Ky.; Will Oakley, of Evansville, Ind., and also the following friends of Albany: Mrs. J. M. Robinson, Mrs. G. F. Solomon and Miss Eanda Harris.

Rev. A. H. Manly and Rev. A. N. Penland left for Asheville, N. C. last night. On Sunday Rev. Penland will preach the baccalaureate sermon at Barnardsville, N. C.

AFTERNOON BRIDGE PARTY AT COUNTRY CLUB

A beautiful afternoon affair of the week occurred on Friday afternoon at the Valley Country Club when Mrs. J. R. Daniell and Mrs. J. Y. Hamill entertained with a party honoring the latter's sister, Mrs. Felix Horn of Laverne, Ala. The club rooms were typical of mid-spring gorgeous white ash, honeysuckle, and roses being used in profusion. Pink and yellow shades predominated in these as in the refreshments, consisting of a salad and ice and sandwiches and the decorations on the plate were also pink and yellow.

Mrs. Hamill greeted her guests in a lovely evening gown of yellow. Mrs. Horn wore a lavender evening dress heavily beaded, and Mrs. Daniell was attired in blue with pearl and rhinestone trimmings. They were assisted in receiving and entertaining by Mrs. Ralph Dougherty and Mrs. Horace E. Dryden, the former in a blue georgette and lace creation and Mrs. Dryden's dress was cocoa accented pleated georgette.

The afternoon was spent at bridge and Mrs. H. H. May was awarded the first prize, a beautiful bed lamp, Mrs. W. B. Edmundson cut low for the consolation, a strand of pearls and the honoree was presented a piece of pottery as a souvenir.

Those accepting invitations to this lovely party were Mrs. H. H. May, Mrs. Harry Carpenter, Mrs. C. C. Cox, Mrs. H. E. Dryden Jr., Mrs. Sara Jeffries, Mrs. B. M. Bloodworth, Mrs. N. P. Cowden, Mrs. W. B. Markstein, Mrs. B. P. Wallace, Mrs. Clyde Hendrix, Mrs. H. A. Skeggs, Mrs. John W. Jones, Mrs. Sam Sharp, Mrs. F. S. Hunt, Mrs. Frank Lide, Mrs. R. T. Sheppard, Mrs. A. E. Humphrey, Miss Christine Almon, Miss Marjory Bear, Mrs. John C. Bragg, Mrs. Ernest Morrow, Mrs. O. Kyle, Mrs. E. W. Godbey, Mrs. Helen Russell, Mrs. H. D. Burnum, Mrs. Deas Richardson, Mrs. Frank Harris, Mrs. H. D. Greer, Mrs. F. D. Peebles, Mrs. Will Wyker, Mrs. W. T. Lowe, Mrs. Elmer Loyd, Mrs. H. L. Patterson, Mrs. Roy Wyatt, Mrs. John McGee, Mrs. William Voorhies, Mrs. Logan Patterson of Baugh, Tenn., Mrs. S. A. Cortner and Mrs. W. B. Edmundson.

B. Y. P. U. ENTERTAINED

The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. of the Southside Baptist church, was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Smith Campbell on Friday evening. After an enjoyable evening of good music and games refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Loyd will move on Wednesday to be at home with Mrs. W. L. Gover on Grant Street.

ANDERS-PULLIAS

The wedding of Miss Margie Pullias of Albany, Ala., to D. C. Anders of Hartselle, Ala., was beautifully solemnized at 11 o'clock this morning at the home of the Rev. Howard L. Patterson, pastor of the Central Christian church, who officiated.

The only attendants were Misses Lucile North and Miss Claudia Pullias.

Miss Pullias is the attractive and charming sister of Miss Claudia Pullias, efficient secretary of Mora B. Fariss, who has been here for the past two weeks on a visit. During that time she had made many friends.

The groom is a well known and prosperous young business man of Hartselle in which place the happy couple will make their home.—Columbia Daily Herald.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. R. H. Wolcott and Mrs. A. E. Humphrey will be joint hostesses to the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Wolcott.

MRS. BALLAS, ROOK HOSTESS

Mrs. Ellen Ballas entertained the Canal Street Rook club on Friday afternoon when only club members were present. The first club trophy was awarded to Miss Clary, and the second to Mrs. S. W. Irwin.

An ice course was served late in the afternoon.

FRIDAY THIRTEEN

At the meeting of the Friday Thirteen this week, Mrs. R. N. Harris was the hostess and there was only one substitution, Mrs. B. Crawford. The prize for top score was awarded to Mrs. J. A. Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Atlee Hoff will leave Monday for Chattanooga, Tenn., to attend the wedding of Miss Margaret Atlee and Mr. Robbins Patton which will be an event of that week.

Mrs. James Duncan Hunter is sick at her home.

An all day session of the Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will be held on Monday beginning at 11 a. m. at the home of Mrs. O. B. Cartwright.

Mrs. W. I. Baker is visiting Mrs. James Kirk in Tusculum, Ala.

The Bible Study class of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Ladies' Parlor of the church.

MISS BERNARDI PRESENTS PUPILS IN RECITAL

The spring recital of the expression pupils of Miss Gladys Bernardi took place on Friday evening at the Albany High school building before a large and very appreciative audience. The stage was a bower of roses under soft shaded lights that made an attractive setting for the young Misses in their vari-colored evening dresses.

No mistakes or corrections marred the entertainment and the fifteen of her pupils who performed so perfectly were Miss De Alva Alexander, Miss Katie Marvin Thompson, Miss Evelyn McClure, Perry Pink, Miss Idelle Thomas, Billy Day, Miss Evelyn Friend, Miss Margaret Sewell, Miss Gwendolyn Reams, Miss Sarah Ruth Wilson, Miss Mary Elizabeth Webster, Miss Frances Blackwell, Miss Berta Mae Joiner, Miss Wilma Jane Patterson, and Miss Wilda Witt. They were assisted by two of Mrs. Joseph Pettet's music pupils, Misses Margaret and Fanny Bess Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Rauschenberg motored here the first part of the week from their home in Russellville to spend a short while with relatives.

Miss Louise Lile has returned home after a visit to relatives in Trinity.

Mrs. Ellen Ballas is spending the weekend in Birmingham.

Mrs. D. C. Almon will return home tonight from a visit to her daughter Mrs. T. H. Alexander in Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. William Foster of Tusculum, who spent a few days with Miss Christine Almon returned home on Friday.

Mrs. J. D. Simmonds, of Orlando, Fla., is expected next week to be the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. B. Thomas.

Howard Thomas, of Marshall, Tex., is here visiting relatives.

Dr. T. G. Morrow is spending today in Birmingham.

Miss Jane Neville, of Trinity is visiting relatives in the Twin Cities for a few days.

Mrs. Raybourn Neville and little daughter, were visitors in the city on Friday.

Mrs. Julia Smith continues critically ill at her home near Falkville.

CARD OF THANKS

We thank our many friends for their kindnesses during the death of our dear husband and father, also for the beautiful flowers and use of cars Mrs. Sig Knoblock and family.

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V. G. Studer, of the Eastman Kodak Company, of Rochester, N. Y., has succeeded George Eastman, millionaire head of the concern, as president and general manager. Eastman is seventy-one years old and is gradually retiring from active management. He will become chairman of the board of directors of the company.

CHURCHES

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN Regular services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Other services at usual hours. You are cordially invited.

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Sabbath school 10. Sermon 11. Evening sermon 7:30. Christian union 6:45. "They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength."

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday school 10. Preaching 11 and 7:30. "Adjustment" will be the subject for the morning hour and "Environment" will be the evening subject. You are invited to hear these lessons.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL

Holy Communion 7:30. Church school 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon 11.

CENTRAL BAPTIST

9:30 Sunday school. 11 Morning Worship. 5 Jr. B. Y. P. U. 5:30 Intermediate B. Y. P. U. 6:30 Senior B. Y. P. U. 7:30 Recognition service. 7:30 Wednesday Prayer meeting.

MOULTON HEIGHTS BAPTIST

Sunday school at usual hour. Our Revival begins with two sermons and dinner on the ground Sunday. Pastor Dan Prater will preach at 11 o'clock, and Evangelist E. Floyd Olive of South Side Baptist at 2:30 p. m. He will also preach for us every night during the Revival. Every member is requested and expected to work and pray for a great revival. The public is cordially invited.

SOUTH SIDE BAPTIST

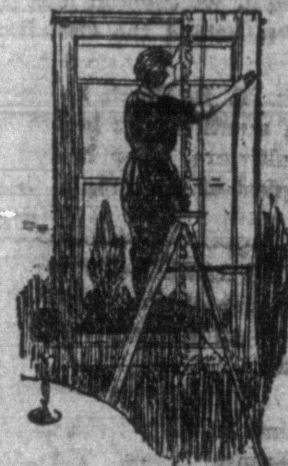
9:45 Sunday school. 11 "A Vision of the Christ." Special "Negro Spiritual" by our Glee Club Sunday morning. Don't miss it. 6:30 B. Y. P. U. meetings. 7:30 The Heart Warming Big Sing led by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Johnson. Sermon by the pastor. Everybody invited. A welcome to all. "Be a full."

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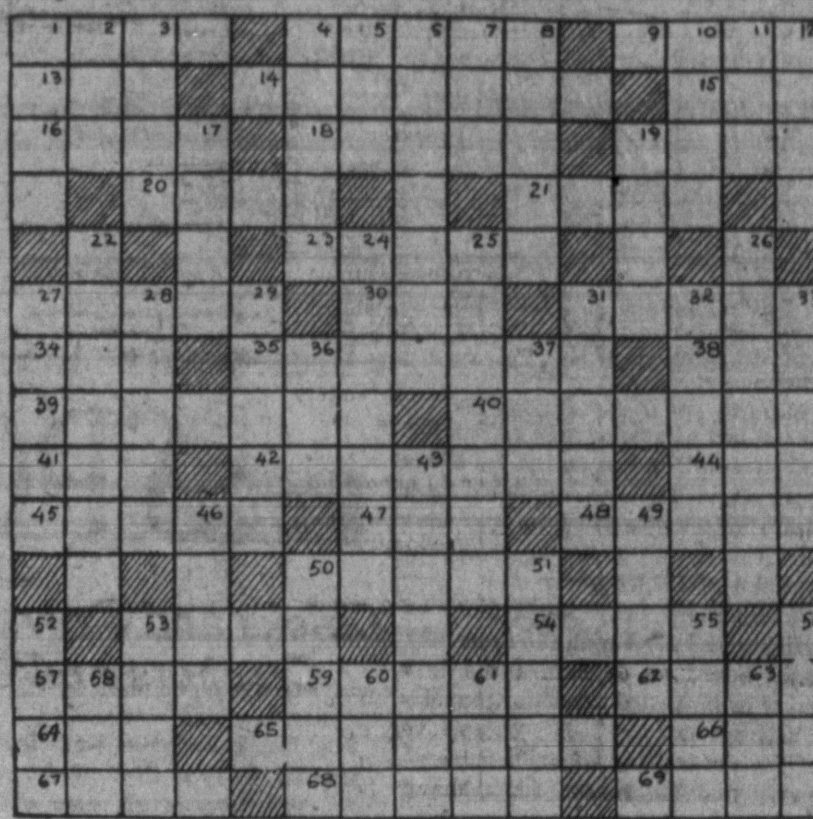
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Today's Cross-Word Puzzle

A DANDY INTERLOCK—Puzzle No. 164. EDITED BY J. C. BOYD



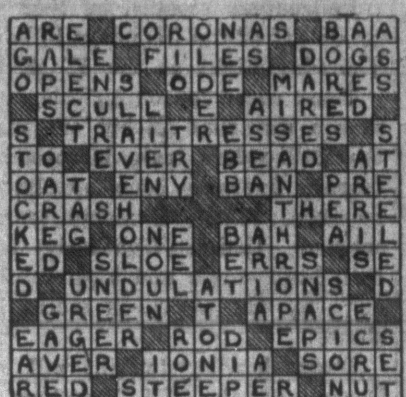
HORIZONTAL

- 1—an aquatic animal
- 4—deep red carnations
- 9—stockings
- 13—to fondle
- 14—the shoots of a plant
- 15—nothing
- 16—presently
- 18—a Mohammedan prince
- 19—weapons
- 20—to confine a ship by cables
- 21—a Javanese tree
- 23—to hinder from growth
- 27—melodies
- 30—frozen liquid
- 31—to present
- 34—a collection of notable sayings
- 35—perambulating
- 38—anger
- 39—to infuse or pour in
- 40—saws
- 41—a mesh-work of twine
- 42—one who flashes
- 44—a small insect egg
- 45—place of meeting
- 47—to turn to the driver's off-side
- 48—the longer edges of a rectangle
- 50—the earth
- 53—bed of a wild beast
- 54—a great quantity
- 57—to jump
- 59—to cut off or suppress a syllable
- 62—a passage-way
- 64—skill
- 65—the upper surface of a room
- 66—to perceive
- 67—wild goat of Himalaya
- 68—a spirited horse
- 69—the summit

VERTICAL

- 1—the extent of a bridge
- 2—contraction for "even"
- 3—a small particle
- 4—contends with the fists
- 5—limb between shoulder and hand
- 6—small European deer
- 7—that which is owed
- 8—to walk with a proud gait
- 10—burden
- 11—to transgress
- 12—otherwise
- 17—an annotation
- 19—gibe
- 22—racers
- 24—cultivation
- 25—not one or the other
- 26—fruits of many bushes
- 27—to corrupt
- 28—disagreeable or disgusting
- 29—quick
- 31—imaginary giants (variant)
- 32—an infernal being
- 33—reposes
- 36—the whole
- 37—born
- 43—slavish
- 46—a compound used in washing
- 49—a skin eruption
- 50—woody forest inhabitants
- 51—to add to
- 52—a thin, narrow wooden strip
- 53—a thin, narrow board over which plaster is laid
- 55—a clasp that passes over a staple
- 56—a genus of evergreens
- 58—an epoch
- 60—illuminated
- 61—to cease to live
- 63—the sheltered side of a boat

Herewith is solution to Puzzle No. 163.



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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

B. B. Baggerly vs. Emma K. Baird et al. Circuit Court, Morgan County, Alabama, in equity.

In this cause, it appears to the register from the affidavit of complainant, that Raymond Fenn, Helen C. Fenn, Bula Tuthill and Arthur Logan defendants are non-residents of Alabama, over 21 years of age, and that the residence and post office address of each of said defendants are unknown, after diligent effort to learn the same. It is therefore ordered by the register that publication be made once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Albany-Decatur Daily, a newspaper published in Morgan County, requiring said defendants to plead, answer or demur to the amended bill of complaint in this cause by May 10, 1925, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against them.

This, April 10, 1925.

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New York Letter

By Lucy-Jeanne Price

NEW YORK, April 25—New York

City is going to see that some honor is paid Lelf Ericksson, the Norseman who landed on this continent 500 years before Christopher Columbus, even if the honor be a trifle slow in coming and even though it be, comparatively speaking, not spectacular. After a thousand years or so the Scandinavian discoverer is to have one of our local streets named for him, and may be a whole square. It will be a short street and a small square, but at any rate it's something and explorers must be philosophers. Besides there may be still earlier explorers come to light some time, or maybe an original resident claiming the place ahead of any newcomer. I always thought the most intelligent school child I have heard of is the one who said, upon being asked who discovered the Pacific Ocean, "The natives who lived along its shore."

There is a nice warm feeling out the hearts of a good many of us at the announcement that Mme. Schumann-Heink is going to sing with the Metropolitan Opera company next season. At sixty four her voice is the same rich contralto that it was at fifteen, those who heard her years ago will tell us, and there is no reason why sixty-four should be looked upon as too great an age for an opera singer. Only because this splendid woman did leave opera several years ago we had grown to think of her era in that sensitive field. She will probably sing again the old Wagnerian roles in which she has been most acclaimed, erda in "Siegfried" and Pricca in "Walkure."

An ancient Egyptian painting on linen, about two thousand years old, is one of the most interesting exhibits on display in Manhattan right now. This example of ancient art was excavated at Akhmin in upper Egypt and is about four by seven feet. Against a background of dull red is the figure of a woman with a face which is exceedingly beautiful even measured by modern standards. In the background are pictured various Egyptian sacred symbols.

It can hardly be called local New York gossip that Rome was founded 2,800 years ago; but the immensity of that existence and the long reach back into the ages were brought home to me more by the observance of the day in the Italian Consulate here. It makes 2,800 years ago seem a real

ity, which it never did before. It was too much for me to grasp, especially in light of our own 160 years of existence as a nation.

Lovers of "The Mikado" who revel in its humor and its music and all else of the scintillation of Gilbert and Sullivan were almost frightened at the news that it was to be revived. It would be so easy to spoil it in some way. But it is a triumph of dramatic productions of today that "The Mikado" has been made what it has by the Shuberts without marring the delicacy and the whimsicality of it one iota. It is gorgeous production and one that would have thrilled the hearts of Gilbert and Sullivan as much as it does ours. William Danforth, Tom Burke, Lupino Lane, Marguerite Namara, Sarah Edwards, Barbara Maurel and the rest of them carry it into the realm of the light opera we had always dreamed of seeing but never really hoped for.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Mrs. Evie Cross, Complainant vs.

Mary Prosser, defendant. In the circuit court of Morgan County, Alabama.

To Mary Prosser.

You are hereby notified that under and by virtue of a writ of attachment issued out the Circuit Court of Morgan County, Alabama, in favor of Evie Cross, and against you, was, on the 4th day of April, 1925, levied by the Sheriff of Morgan County, Alabama, on the 4th day of April, 1925, on the following as your property, lying and being in the City of Albany County of Morgan and State of Alabama, to-wit:

Lot No. 5, Block 64, Addition 4, Decatur Land Improvement and Furnace Company, and further described as being House No. 1410, Fourth Avenue, South; and you are hereby notified to appear at the next term of the Circuit court of said County and defend said attachment suit, if you see proper so to do.

This the 4th day of April, 1925.

J. L. Draper Clerk

April 4-11 18-25.

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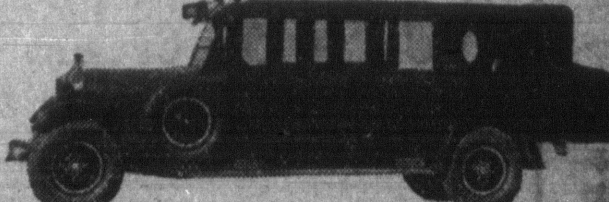
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April 6, 1925.

RESOURCES:	LIABILITIES:
Loans and discounts.....\$5,105,104.67	Capital Stock.....\$ 225,000.00
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Overdrafts.....5,016.79	Undivided Profits and
Banking Houses (15).....106,250.00	Reserves.....129,602.03
Furn. and Fixtures (16).....47,500.00	Deposits.....5,777,355.18
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Cash and due from Banks.....868,765.75	
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BOARD OF REVIEW FIXES VALUES

Notice is hereby given that the Morgan County Board of Review has completed the work of reviewing and adjusting assessed valuations of all property listed for taxation for the tax year 1925 and that the tax return lists showing thereon such assessed valuations are in the tax assessor's

office, open for public inspection.

The board of review will sit, at the courthouse in Decatur, on the 1st Monday in June 1925 to consider such protests as may be filed by any taxpayer who is not satisfied with the valuations of his property.

All objections or protests must be in writing and filed with the secretary of said board on or before the last Monday in May 1925, and the taxpayer shall set out in such objections filed the description of each item of property and his reason for making objections to the assessed valuation as placed thereon.

H. O. TROUP, Tax Assessor and ex-officio secretary of Board of Review.

April 25 May 2-9.

SPORTS

Chicks and Travelers Wield Bludgeon; Crackers and Pels Taste Bitter Defeat

The Chick and the Travelers undoubtedly believe that might makes right regardless of all other opinions that have been expressed to the contrary. Mace welding is about the best thing these two clubs indulge in according to the box scores of Friday's games.

Memphis lit into the two Chattanooga aces, Sedgwick and Cunningham for 12 safe hits. Two were home runs, four triples and a double were the extra base totals of Clyde Milan's lads. Chattanooga made a pair of homers on their own hook, but were unable to reach the heights needed for victory.

Little Rock erased every effort of the Volss pitching staff, hitting Lindstrom and Keenan at will. The Travelers made 21 hits during the afternoon. The final score stood at 18-5.

The Barons ranks were again returned victors over the Pels of New Orleans 3-2. New Orleans made a desperate effort in the ninth, but could glean but one tally off the Baron hurler, Lundgren. The Barons moved into a tie for fourth place.

The flying Atlanta Crackers were halted in their flight pennantward by the Mobile hosts, 7-5. Murry and Acosta let the Crackers down with four weak hits, but the Crackers took advantage of every opportunity, they have a habit of doing that.

RAILROADERS WIN

Railroaders scooped up four whole points off of the Demolays in bowling Thursday night at the Y. M. C. A.

There was a reason for this, and the reason was that all but one man on the Railroaders team increased his tourney average considerably, while members of the Demolay team decreased theirs. Weatherly bowled both high single and high total pinage for the night, as scores below show.

Teams bowling tonight will be the Decoras vs. the "Y" Dormitory. Former team gets a handicap of one pin.

RAILROADERS:

Vaughn	141	117	112	370
Kitchens	112	143	125	380
Byars	105	105	128	338
Phillips	129	143	135	407
Weatherly	180	112	154	426
Total	647	620	654	1921

DEMOLAYS:

Young	122	133	110	365
Speer	107	116	118	341
Nebriq	120	136	149	369
Wright	86	86	86	258
Hatfield	101	101	101	303
Total	559	595	551	1705

Team Standing

Team	W	L	Pct.
Business Men	18	6	.750
Decoras	16	8	.667
"Y" Dormitory	13	7	.650
Bear Cats	15	9	.625
Demolays	12	12	.500
Railroaders	12	12	.500
Daily	11	13	.458
Machine Shop	10	14	.417
Tigers	5	19	.208
"Y" Directors	3	17	.150

Individual Tournament Average

B. O. Sims	160
Yarbrough	153
Goidel	152
J. E. Morrow	148
Sorber	144
Jones	144
Smith	141
Jas. Morrow	141
Drake	139
W. A. Sims	138
High score Chief Sorber	232
High match average B. O. Sims	180

DECORAS WIN

Decoras set the "Y" Dormitory back three points in bowling last night at the Y. M. C. A.

While there were no real high scores made during the match, interest between contestants was great. Attendance was almost hundred per cent in spite of the heat of the evening.

Phillips of the Decoras copped high single game 159 while Arvidson of the Dormitory ran up high total pinpage 404.

Monday night will witness a match between the Business Men vs the "Y" Dormitory.

Scores for last night:

DECORAS:

Deering	120	120	120	360
Speake	121	136	130	387
Phillips	112	127	159	398
Birch	149	82	135	366
Wilson	143	148	101	392
Total	646	614	646	1906

"Y" DORMITORY:

Arvidson	151	125	128	404
Gray	119	119	119	357
Kline	118	145	132	395
Burnett	75	125	107	307
Nix	127	113	103	343
Total	590	627	589	1806

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Atlanta	9	2	.818
Nashville	8	3	.727
New Orleans	5	5	.455
Memphis	5	5	.455
Birmingham	5	5	.455
Little Rock	5	5	.455
Chattanooga	4	7	.364
Mobile	3	8	.273

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Cleveland	7	2	.778
Philadelphia	7	2	.778
Washington	6	2	.750
Chicago	7	4	.638
New York	3	5	.375
Detroit	3	7	.300
St. Louis	3	7	.300
Boston	1	8	.111

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York	6	2	.750
Cincinnati	7	3	.700
Philadelphia	4	3	.571
St. Louis	5	5	.500
Chicago	5	5	.500
Brooklyn	3	5	.375
Pittsburgh	3	7	.300
Boston	2	5	.286

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Southern League
Little Rock 18; Nashville 5.
Birmingham 3; New Orleans 2.
Memphis 11; Chattanooga 7.
Mobile 7; Atlanta 5.

American League

Boston 8; New York 1.
Chicago 7; Pittsburgh 2.
Brooklyn 10; Philadelphia 9.
Cincinnati 7; St. Louis 6.

TODAY'S GAMES

Southern League
Little Rock at Nashville.
Memphis at Chattanooga.
Mobile at Atlanta.
New Orleans at Birmingham.

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Upon conclusion of program will adjourn to cemetery to decorate graves.

Anyone who desires to give flowers will please bring them to Castle Hall at 3 p.m.

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